## **MARCH 2004**

**DATE:** March 4, 2004 **TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Foreign Language Proficiency

PLACE: Veradale, WA

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 4, 5, & 6, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 5:00 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Challenge Education with Aviation, Wright into the Next Century

**PLACE:** Great Falls, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Jeanne MacPherson, Montana Aeronautics Division (404) 444-9568 or

www.jemacpherson@state.mt.us

**DATE:** March 6, 2004 **TIME:** 9:00 a.m. **END TIME:** 1:00 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Family Child Care Mentoring: What Does it Involve?

**PLACE:** Helena, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Four (04)

**CONTACT:** Susan Held, Child Care Partnerships, (404) 443-4608

**DATE:** March 8 & 9, 2004

TIME: 8:30 a.m. END TIME: 3:15 p.m. TYPE: Conference

**TITLE:** Colorado First Grade Conference

**PLACE:** Denver, CO

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Ten (10)

CONTACT: Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 8 & 9, 2004

TIME: 8:00 a.m. END TIME: 5:00 p.m. TYPE: Conference

**TITLE:** Teen-Aid Teacher Training

PLACE: Billings, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Sixteen (16)

**CONTACT:** LeAnna Benn, Teen-Aid Inc. www.teen-aid.org

**DATE:** March 8, 2004 **TIME:** 7:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:20 p.m. **TYPE:** Conference **TITLE:** Building Blocks

PLACE: Sioux Falls, SD MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Christine Anderson, Staff Development for Educators (800) 337-9929 or

www.SDE.com/register/49

**DATE:** March 10 & 11, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:15 p.m. **TYPE:** Conference

**TITLE:** Washington First Grade Conference

**PLACE:** Seattle, WA

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Ten (10)

**CONTACT:** Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 13, 2004

**TIME:** 9:00 a.m. **END TIME:** 1:00 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** The Practice of Communication Parent and Family Support

**PLACE:** Helena, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Four (04)

**CONTACT:** Susan Held, Child Care Partnerships, (404) 443-4608

**DATE:** March 13 & 14, 2004

**TIME:** 8:00 a.m. **END TIME:** 4:30 p.m. **TYPE:** Workshop

**TITLE:** Community Naturalist Workshop: Bird Education

**PLACE:** Kalispell, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Fourteen (14)

**CONTACT:** Paul Belanger, Montana Audubon (406) 777-0780

**DATE:** March 17-April 14, 2004

**TIME:** 4:00 p.m. **END TIME:** 5:00 p.m. **TYPE:** Workshop

**TITLE:** Basic Computer Skills **PLACE:** Clyde Park, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Four (04)

**CONTACT:** Mathew Henry, Shields Valley Schools (406) 578-2535 or svsd@mcn.net

**DATE:** March 16, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Strategies to Increase Reading Fluency  $(1^{st} - 3^{rd})$ 

**PLACE:** Spokane, WA

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 18, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Improving the Achievement and Behavior of Your Students with Mild to Moderate

Special Needs (Grade 1 – 6) **PLACE:** Missoula, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 20, 2004

**TIME:** 9:00 a.m. **END TIME:** 1:00 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Common Issues and Challenges/The Impact of Mentoring

PLACE: Helena, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Four (04)

**CONTACT:** Susan Held, Child Care Partnerships, (404) 443-4608

**DATE:** March 22, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Strengthening Your Physical Education Program (Grades 4 – 12)

**PLACE:** Missoula, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 22 & 23, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Early Literacy and Language Skills

**PLACE:** Missoula, MT (March 22) Veradale, WA (March 23)

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 25 & 26, 2004 **TIME:** 8:30 (Day 1) 8:00 (Day 2) **END TIME:** 4:30 (Day 1) 3:30 (Day 2)

**TYPE:** Workshop

**TITLE:** Holistic Training and Scoring for the Montana University System

**PLACE:** Glendive, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Twelve (12)

**CONTACT:** Jan Clinard, Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education (406) 444-0652 or

www.jclinard@oche.montana.ed

**DATE:** March 25-28, 2004

TIME: END TIME: TYPE: Seminar

**TITLE:** High Trust Motivation

**PLACE:** Whitefish, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Thirty (30)

**CONTACT:** Dennis McLoughlin, High Trust Thinking (805) 452-2303

**DATE:** March 25-26, 2004

**TIME:** 8:00 a.m. **END TIME:** 4:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Depression: Current Research and Trends

PLACE: Billings, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Thirteen (13)

**CONTACT:** Jennifer Donovan, Mental Health Center (800) 266-7198

**DATE:** March 26 & 27, 2004

**TIME:** 8:45 a.m. (26<sup>th</sup>) 9:00 a.m. (27<sup>th</sup>)

**END TIME:** 4:30 p.m. (26<sup>th</sup>) 12:30 p.m. (27<sup>th</sup>)

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Treasure State 8-Man Football Clinic

**PLACE:** Missoula, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Ten (10)

CONTACT: Bob Cleverley, All-Stars Inc. (406) 682-4371 or www.2clevs@3rivers.net

**DATE:** March 26 & 28, 2004

**TIME:** 5:00 p.m. (26<sup>th</sup>) 8:30a.m. (27<sup>th</sup>) 8:30 a.m. (28<sup>th</sup>)

**END TIME:** 8:30 p.m. (26<sup>th</sup>) 4:30 p.m. (27<sup>th</sup>) 12:00 p.m. 28th

**TYPE:** Workshop

**TITLE:** Community Naturalist Workshop: Bird Education

**PLACE:** Billings, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Fourteen (14)

**CONTACT:** Paul Belanger, Montana Audubon (406) 777-0780

**DATE:** March 29, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m.

**END TIME:** 3:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** Kindergarten Literacy Program

**PLACE:** Billings, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

**CONTACT:** Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

Montana Office of Public Instruction, Linda McCulloch, Superintendent March 29, 2004

**DATE:** March 29, 2004 and March 31, 2004

TIME: 5:00 p.m. END TIME: 7:00 p.m. TYPE: Workshop

**TITLE:** Adobe Photoshop **PLACE:** Ronana, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Four (04)

**CONTACT:** Catherine Billie, Access Montana (888) 676-1953 or www.support@ronan.net

**DATE:** March 30, 2004

**TIME:** 8:30 a.m. **END TIME:** 3:15 p.m.

**TYPE:** Seminar

**TITLE:** What's New in Young Adult Literature

**PLACE:** Billings, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Five (05)

CONTACT: Nancy Anderson, Bureau of Education and Research, (425) 453-2121 or

www.ber.org

**DATE:** March 31 – April 2, 2004

**TIME:** 9:00 a.m. **END TIME:** 9:00 p.m. **TYPE:** Conference

**TITLE:** Montana Council for Exceptional Children 2004, Conference on Disabilities

PLACE: Billings, MT

MT RENEWAL UNITS: Sixteen (16)

**CONTACT:** Debbie Hanna, Montana Council for Exceptional Children

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